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January 28, 2022

By ECF

The Honorable Jesse M. Furman
United States District Court
40 Foley Square
New York, NY 10007

Application GRANTED. A change-of-plea conference is scheduled for March 1, 2022, at 12:00 p.m. Time is excluded in the interests of justice from today, January 31, 2022, until March 1, 2022 for the reasons set forth in the Government's letter. The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate Doc. #29. SO ORDERED.

Re:United States v. Dan Ying Gao, No. 21 Cr. 42 (JMF)

Dear Judge Furman:

January 31, 2022

The parties respectfully request to schedule a change of plea in this case in the first week of March. Defense counsel has informed the Government that the defendant intends to plead guilty, but counsel requires additional time to meet with the defendant in order to prepare her for the change of plea. For this same reason, the Government requests that the Court exclude time under the Speedy Trial Act pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7) until the date of the scheduled change of plea. The defendant consents to the exclusion of time.

Respectfully submitted,

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